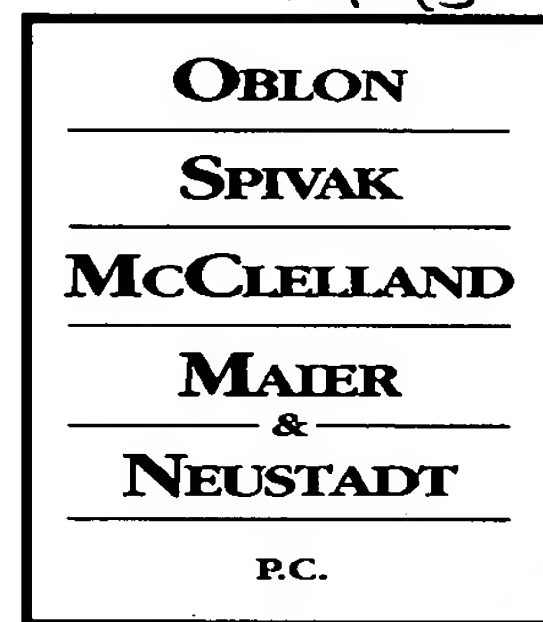




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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/025,763

Applicants: Atsushi WATAKABE, et al.

Filing Date: December 26, 2001

For: SOLID POLYMER ELECTROLYTE MATERIAL,
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CELL AND FLUOROPOLYMER

Group Art Unit: 1745

Examiner: Dove

Date of Notice of Allowance: November 7, 2006

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers
Copy of 12/26/01 Date-Stamped Filing Receipt**

Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated March 22, 2007 (Notice), which requires the insertion of a Brief Description of the Drawings, in light of Figures 1-5b, which are stated in the Notice as having been filed with the application on 12/26/01, Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of the Notice on the ground that **no** Figures 1-5b, or any drawings, were filed in this application. **Attached herewith** is a copy of the Date-Stamped Filing receipt of date December 26, 2001 indicating that no drawings were filed with the present application.

It is believed that above-mentioned Figures 1-5b were attached to the pending application cited on the List of Related Cases also filed with the present application.

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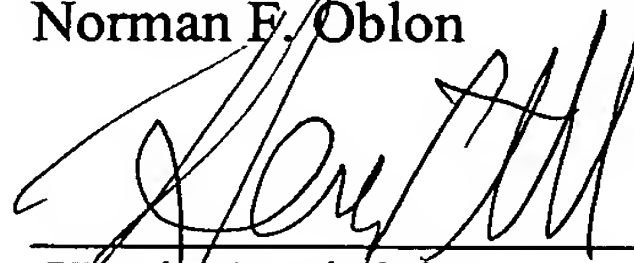
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The Specification as filed is therefore correct and in need of no further amendment. It is therefore requested that the electronic file wrapper be amended to delete Figures 1-5b from the drawings.

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The following has been received in the U.S. Patent Office on the date stamped hereon:

- ☒ 79 pp. Specification 23 Claims/Drawings 0 Sheets
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 - ☒ Combined Declaration, Petition & Power of Attorney 4 pages
 - ☐ List of Inventor Names and Addresses
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